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I believe I am an original, first and sole inventor (if only  
one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint  
inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject  
matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on  
the invention entitled:

BUFFERED OVERSAMPLING ANALOG-TO-DIGITAL CONVERTER  
WITH IMPROVED DC OFFSET PERFORMANCE

the specification of which

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Application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the  
contents of the above-identified specification, including the  
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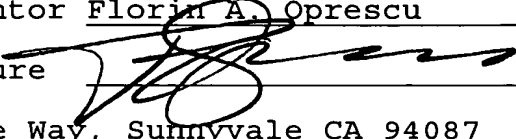
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